

United States Department of Agriculture

Marketing and Regulatory Programs

Agricultural Marketing Service

Washington, DC 20250

Please Note:

New vendors and subcontractors must supply all required paperwork (Appendix 1, Financial Statement, and 3 Reference Letters) and must register in the Online Representations and Certifications Application (ORCA). In addition, <u>all</u> vendors must also be registered in the CCR, within 48 hours after bid opening or your company may be considered non-responsive.

FV-315

Fruit and Vegetable Programs

Date Issued: January 10, 2008

Frozen Fruit Juices, Announcement FV-315, Invitation 004

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell frozen fruit juices as indicated below and per the Announcement for distribution to child nutrition and other domestic food assistance programs. Offers are due by 1 p.m., Central time, Thursday, January 24, 2008. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, February 7, 2008. Deliveries are to be made from March 1, 2008 through April 30, 2008.

Offers are invited from the trade for:

Orange Juice from Concentrate

70/4 oz. cartons

232,320 cases

The Brix Value/Acid Ratio shall be not less than 14.0:1 and no greater than 19.5:1.

Orange Juice from Concentrate, 70/4 oz: Please use Julian date for the date of pack, on each individual container.

This invitation contains line item(s) identified as "Kosher Only". Vendors must comply with applicable dietary (kosher) laws as established by the "613 Council of Kasruth". Vendors must contact the Board of Jewish Education of Greater New York (BJENY) at (646) 472-5365 **prior to submitting a bid** to certify compliance with the applicable dietary (kosher) laws. A rabbinic supervisor will be sent by the BJENY to certify compliance with the dietary (kosher) laws.

All prime vendors are reminded that they are prohibited from subcontracting with companies or individuals that have been suspended or debarred.

All invitations with orders for the state of New York, must have the pack date stamped on the outside of each carton. The pack date should be annotated as per the following

example: (05/01/2003). Orders for the state of New York requiring the special marking will be indicated by (**). This applies to New York orders "Only," if and when they appear on an invitation.

On "BKLYN/CEN ISLIP NY" destinations, shippers are instructed to call the contact person on the Notice to Deliver first prior to making an appointment, so that they can be directed to which warehouse they will ship the product.

Bids must be submitted electronically via the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) on the internet. Offerors who submit bids using other than DEBES, will be deemed non-responsive. Offeror must be assigned a Logon ID by USDA to access the site. The Internet address is: http://pcsd.usda.gov/debes which translates into a connection of https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe? Once connected, follow the online procedures. A "HELP" button provides detailed instructions for using the system or call 202-720-4517 for assistance.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Split shipments are indicated by a single asterisk. Inquiries about Announcement FV-315, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for Frozen Fruit Juices dated May 2004, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/ Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0239, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, DC 20250-9410, telephone (202) 720-4517. An electronic version of this invitation can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp.

Purchases will be made on a delivered to destination basis, subject to Announcement FV-315, to the listed locations. Delivery by trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

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ANNOUNCEMENT : FV315

INVITATION : 004 COMM GROUP : 33 FRUIT JUICE FRZ

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY		TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)			
DELIVERY PERIOD 03/01/08 - 03/15/08								
001	ROCKY HILL	CT	TRUCK ONLY	1,920		-		
002	CHICOPEE TAUNTON	MA MA	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	960 960		-		
003	WILMINGTON WORCESTER	MA MA		960 960		· -		
004	TAUNTON WILMINGTON	MA MA	TRUCK ONLY	1,440 480		-		
005	CONCORD	NH	TRUCK ONLY	1,920		-		
006	BROOKLYN	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,920		**Kosher		
007	DELAWARE CITY	DE	TRUCK ONLY	1,920		-		
800	LANDOVER	MD		1,920		-		
009	ALTOONA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	1,920		_		
010	COAL TOWNSHIP	PA	TRUCK ONLY	1,920		_		
011	PHILADELPHIA WILKES-BARRE	PA PA	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	960 960		-		
012	MADISON HEIGHTS	VA	TRUCK ONLY	1,920		-		
013	NORFOLK RICHMOND SUFFOLK	VA VA VA	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	398		-		
014	CHARLESTON	WV		1,920		_		

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PACK SIZE : 70 70/4 OZ CTN

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DELI	JERY PERIOD 03/0	01/0	8 - 03/15/08		
015	LEXINGTON OWENSBORO SHEPHERDSVILLE	KY KY KY	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	644 583 693	
016	JACKSON	MS	TRUCK ONLY	1,920	
017	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	1,920	
018	ALCOA COOKEVILLE	TN TN	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	900 1,020	
019	BRIGHTON	MI	TRUCK ONLY	1,920	
020	GRAND RAPIDS KALAMAZOO	IM IM	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	480 1,440	
021	WYOMING	MI	TRUCK ONLY	1,920	
022	COLUMBUS	ОН	TRUCK ONLY	1,920	
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024	MCALESTER	OK		1,920	
025	DALLAS	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,920	
026	EL PASO LUBBOCK	TX TX	TRUCK ONLY	690 1,230	
027	HOUSTON SAN ANTONIO	TX TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,152 768	
028	SAN ANTONIO	ΤX	TRUCK ONLY	1,920	
029	PUEBLO WEST	CO	TRUCK ONLY	1,920	

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DELI	VERY PERIOD 03/0	01/0	8 - 03/15/08		
030	PHOENIX	ΑZ	TRUCK ONLY	1,920	
031	CORDELIA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,920	
032	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,920	
033	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,920	
034	CORDELIA SACRAMENTO	CA CA	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	480 1,440	
DELI	VERY PERIOD 03/	L6/0	8 - 03/31/08		
035	CHICOPEE TAUNTON	MA MA	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	960 960	
036	WILMINGTON	MA		1,920	
037	WILMINGTON WORCESTER	MA MA		960 960	
038	JOHNSON CITY MADISON HEIGHTS		TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	752 1 , 168	
039	NORFOLK RICHMOND SUFFOLK	VA VA VA	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	200 371 1,349	
040	CHARLESTON	WV		1,920	
041	LEXINGTON	KY	TRUCK ONLY	1,920	
042	CYNTHIANA SHEPHERDSVILLE	111	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	977 943	

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DELI	VERY PERIOD 03/	16/0	8 - 03/31/08				
043	ALCOA COOKEVILLE	TN TN	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	500 1,420			
044	BATESVILLE COOKEVILLE	MS TN	TRUCK ONLY	1,120 800			
045	COLUMBUS	ОН	TRUCK ONLY	1,920			
046	COLUMBUS	ОН	TRUCK ONLY	1,920			
047	SIOUX FALLS	SD		1,920			
048	CLEARFIELD	UT		1,920			
049	CLEARFIELD OGDEN	UT UT	TRUCK ONLY	820 1,100			
050	PHOENIX	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	1,920			
051	COMMERCE LOS ANGELES	CA CA	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	480 1,440			
052	CORDELIA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,920			
053	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,920			
DELIVERY PERIOD 04/01/08 - 04/15/08							
054	JOHNSON CITY MADISON HEIGHTS		TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	577 1,343			

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DELI	VERY PERIOD 04/	01/0	8 - 04/15/08		
055	NORFOLK RICHMOND SUFFOLK	VA VA VA	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	200 374 1,346	
056	CHARLESTON	WV		1,920	
057	BATESVILLE COOKEVILLE	MS TN	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	960 960	
058	BRIGHTON	MI	TRUCK ONLY	1,920	
059	COLUMBUS	ОН	TRUCK ONLY	1,920	
060	MCALESTER	OK		1,920	
061	GRAND PRAIRIE	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,920	
062	PUEBLO WEST	СО	TRUCK ONLY	1,920	
063	COMMERCE LOS ANGELES POMONA	CA CA CA	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	480 2,812 548	
064	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,920	
065	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,920	

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DELI	VERY PERIOD 04/	16/0	8 - 04/30/08		
066	DELAWARE CITY	DE	TRUCK ONLY	1,920	
067	MADISON HEIGHTS NEWPORT NEWS			1,776 144	
068		VA	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY		
069	COLUMBUS	ОН	TRUCK ONLY	1,920	
TOTA	L QUANTITY FOR C	OMMO	DITY TYPE	134,400	
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